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BALCONY SQUARE

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Winter Carnival features

Bus Schedule Changes

At the December 12 meeting of the College Services Committee several changes were made to the bus schedules for a trial basis.

The campus shuttle buses operated by the TTC will now make a stop at the Castle Frank subway station on the way downtown.

The College buses will begin an early morning service from the downtown campus to arrive at the College in time for 9:00 am classes. The bus will leave Convocation Hall at about 8:15.

In another change a new service will be instituted to Centenary Plaza (across from the Hospital at the top of the hill folks.) The bus will leave the College at 1:20 pm every afternoon and return to the College from the plaza at 1:45 pm.

The last two services mentioned will be instituted on a trial basis from the second week of class until Reading Week at which time an evaluation will be made on continuation of the services for the rest of the year.

MURRAY McLAUCHLAN

At a Students' Council meeting last Friday plans for the annual Scarborough College Winter Carnival were finalized. Unlike last year, when the Winter Carnival lasted three days and lost about $6000, the Carnival in 1973 will only be a day and a half event, but it will be a very full day and a half.

Activities will be on a Friday night and Saturday January 26th and 27th.

At this pont the schedule will be as follows:

Friday January 26th

3:00 pm Pub opens -either in the new pub or possibly in the Meeting Place.

7:00 pm Performers in the Meeting Place including John Arpin, well known, and probably Canada's best rag time pianist.(He played at Mariposa this past summer). There will also be other folk singers etc.

10:30 pm Movies begin in the Meeting Place. We expect to show the following movies during the night: The Odd Couple, MASH, Play It Again Sam, Billy Jack, a W.C. Fields movie and a Marx Brothers movie. God only knows when they will all finish. If you wish to sleep for a while go on down the H wing, but please stay out of the new wing during the night.

Saturday January 27th

Morning ?? - A breakfast of sorts will be served in the new pub and coffee shop for all those who want coffee and some rolls or other such mung. Nothing fancy that's for sure.

Also in the morning will be a Car Rally with several large prizes, to be announced I hope in next week's paper.

Afternoon - By this point everyone who watched the movies should be slowly coming to life. In the afternoon there will be many of the usual, winter carnival type activities such as ice and snow sculpturing, tobogganing, snowball fight activities and other interesting diversions. As well we hope the athletic wing will be open for basketball and maybe even broomball, who knows.

The coffee shop will also be busy as there will be performers there in the afternoon. Norm is still busy booking some of them but by next week I hope to have a detailed schedule of who will be in attendance.

There will be prizes awarded for the best performances in many of these daytime activities and they will be provided by Molson's.

8:30 pm - This will be the climax of the carnival activities. The Scarborough College Student Council's Social Commission is very pleased to announce that Murray McLauchlan will be performing to finish off Winter Carnival activities.

I'm sure that everyone has heard of Murray McLauchlan, who is a Toronto folk singer who is increasingly branching out into rock music. However even if you have never heard of Murray McLauchlan before, you sure will soon for we plan to sell him as we did with Tom Rush, last fall, and anyone who went to the Rush concert could tell you what a good show that was. We plan to do it again on Saturday the 27th.

By now folks, after being sold on the tremendous package that has been col lected to amaze and amuse you, the students of Scarborough College, there is most likely only one question left in your little minds. How much is all this going to cost me????

Friends you have no cause for alarm. Tickets for the whole Carnival will be available for $3.00, on sale at the one ticket location you all knew and loved in the days before the Tom Rush concert, in front of the Cafeteria. They should already be on sale by the time this paper is out, but if not go to the Student Council office and get them.

If you want to buy tickets just for the concert with Murray McLauchlan on Saturday night, the tickets will be the ridiculously cheap price of $3.00. In case you might not catch on too quickly, what we are saying is that it will cost you $3.00 per person whether you come for the whole weekend or just for the Saturday night concert. Therefore, dig deep into your pocket and come out with the money, for it will probably be hard to find a better entertainment value anywhere in the city. More information will follow next week but you should plan to be here right now. Last year's Carnival was great but this year's just might be better.

thoughts on editing a newspaper

Hello there. What can I say. Once again I am pleased to see your smiling faces on the other side of this newspaper reading it or doing whatever you do with a newspaper in the privacy of your home. As promised in the final (god rest its soul) issue of SMUT, I told all you loyal folks that you would have a real newspaper to look at in 1973. As promised here it is, and only a week late. Not bad for a one man effort with the help of one lady writing on sports, the culture of our nation. So I hope you enjoy it.

This paper is no longer called SMUT because I thought it was not really a suitable name for what should be a rather serious, but not too serious, journalistic effort. Therefore, using my great imagination, I had a meeting of the bored of Directors, and I came to the conclusion that the easiest thing would be to revert to the title of the paper the last time it was published, two years ago, Balcony Square. I had thought at one point we might have a name the paper contest and give the winner a can of Hacking's own world famous glue, but then decided I should not encourage moral degeneration among the youth of this great land of ours.

So this is where things stand at the moment as I type this in the Council office on Tuesday morning. I am still really not sure exactly what room I will get to have my OFFICIAL office in, to meet and greet the public. I think right now it will be Graphics, or what used to be the Graphics office,S-204 to you number fans. Either myself or the world renowned Greg Fitz will be there so drop in and say hello or something.

I am not sure exactly what will be in this issue yet so perhaps I will resume this column a bit later on. However, right now please excuse the layout of this issue, but you see fiends (I meant to say friends but spelled it wrong) at real newspapers they tell me there are machines that space the type on each line so that each line goes to the margin, but I don't have that on this typewriter so most of the time the lines don't go right to the margin.

Here I am again, with a few more things to say before I finish off this issue.I hope everyone reads Terry's sports article this week because it tells all about the big events in the gym on Friday.At this point perhaps I should remind you that I was the very first person to use the new gym after it was officially opened for everyone to use.I was also the very first person after the wing was opened to have a shower in the shower room on Friday Dec. 22. I have been patiently waiting ever since that date to receive my gold plaque of recognition but as yet I have failed to receive. I guess with the mails as bad as they are what else can I expect.

I would also like to thank Dennis who has just walked into the office and says he has even more to write about for next week.

I am still looking for people to help out as I'm not sure how much longer I can last out trying to do everything.

The Future

Monday January 15

I know that you are saying that this date has already passed, but that can't be helped as the paper comes out today.Anyhow on Monday the brand new Coffee Shop in the new wimg was scheduled to open. I certainly hope it did because a lot of people need money for working there.There should be signs up directing you to the shop but if not, go to the newspaper office (a clever way to get you to stop at my office) and start asking from there.

Monday January 15 - Friday January 19

All this week there is scheduled an introduction to Recreation Complex as they call it. There will be a lot of events taking place, none of which I am sure of at this time. However there should be something more about it somewhere in this issue, so look around folks.

Thursday January 18

If you were to say that this is today, you would be right. If you walk into the new wing, only one half a floor above the pool tables, you will find the brand new PUB and since today is the official PUB OPENING, why not stop in and see for yourself. If you thought Art, Ron, Me and the rest of the wackers were great in the Upper Cafeteria, wait till you see us in our new surroundings. It will indeed be a gala opening and will be time well spent with some of the finest pub staff anywhere in this nation.

Perhaps seeing this paper on newsprint will stimulate the minds of many of you to take your pen in hand and compose something whether large or small because it sure is h hard as hell trying to write enough stuff to fill every issue. It's murder on this on and I'm already beginning to fear next week's.

Friends without some of your help I am afraid I may not be able to keep up this paper's developing low standards.

As a last note I would like to thank Wayne for his suggestion for the late great SMUT that we establish a fold-out section entitled SMUT's Sluts but unfortunately the paper died before the suggestion was made and besides I could never afford the time to tour the shopping plazas of Scraborough looking for talent, so to speak.

Comment

During the Christmas break we students received notification of the inauguration of a system of academic advisors. Academic advisors are beneficial to all concerned.The staff receive feedback from the students and the students receive specialized academic knowledge which is not usually available from lectures and seminars. However, the heavily formalized tactics used to coerce us to see the asigned advicor reveals that the Privy Council and the Scarborough College Council (not the Scarborough College Students Council) hold us in little esteem, distrust us, and have little faith in our trustworthiness and responsibility. In a system wherein we are regarded as responsible enough to vote, hold public office, and even drink the attitude of the councillors is a little difficult to understand.

After I received my extortion letter (extortion because I will not be allowed to register for next year unless I agree with the attitude of the councillors), I took a survey and did a statistical analysis on the data obtained. The results are very significant (t=26.17, d.f.=207) in agreement with my views.

To this date I have submitted a letter to Dean King with copies to Principal Campbell and Dave Onley, President of the Student Council and am waiting for replies to filter down through the morass of the administration. I included a suggestion for the improvement of the system making it more amenable to those like myself who prefer voluntary participation. As well, I said that, unless the system was changed to a voluntary one, I would not return for another year at this college.

I do not ask for a complete boycott of the advisors, or even of the college, but I do ask those of you who agree with mee to write to King with copies to Campbell and Onley stating your sentiments towards the academic advisory system as it now stands and/or speak to me. You have nothing to lose but overrestraint and disparaging attitudes towards your responsibilities as students and society members.

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Entertainment page

I would like to have some sort of column of review and upcoming entertainment events listed in the paper every week but to do this I need some contributors, for I can't afford to go to the Riverboat every week (or anywhere else for that matter.) However I did manage to get out this week and caught Jonathan Edwards at the Riverboat on Friday night. As well Norm went to see Neil Young at that old sweat hole Maple Leaf Gardens and I hope he can come up with some comments before I have to take this to the printers.It's a real battle against time friends.

As well I would like to do some sort of weekly record review but again this is hard if I can't coerce anyone else into writing. I will try it this week and see what exactly happens.

reviews

I saw the second and third sets of Jonathan Edwards at the Riverboat last Friday night and left very impressed. Perhaps many of you might know him for a Top 40 hit he had out I think last year or the year before. Anyway it was called 'Sunshine'. On the basis of that plus his first album,I thought he might be worth going to see, and I wasn't disappointed. He played two sets and was very well received by the full house.

Edwards plays mouth harp and guitar and was backed up by Bill Keith, on banjo and steel plus the occasional bit on bass, and Stuart Schulman, who spent most of his time on bass, with a bit of piano and violin as well. I especially enjoyed Keith's work on banjo and steel but Schulman was also adequate and stood out in his role as backup vocalist on a song called Paper Doll (that was first done by the Mills Brothers about 2000 years ago, N.H. says) that concluded his second set of the evening.

I didn't hear him do Sunshine but he did do several songs from the first album plus some from his second album, which has just been released in the last month or so.

He did very good renditions of some Youngbloods and Hank Williams music as well. One I remember very well was something called "It's a Beautiful Day" which sounded very much like a Jesse Colin Young song with long bass and steel breaks in it. Edwards also did 'Don't Cry Blue' and finished off his final set for the evening with a superb harp solo and then "Train to Glory" from the first album. Hacking who saw him on Wednesday said that the sound was not quite right but it seemed that by the show on Friday any problems had been solved.

He put on an excellent show and if you missed him this time be sure to catch him next time he is in town whether it be at the Riverboat or at Massey Hall. It would be money well spent.

This week at the Riverboat will be JOHN MILLS-COCKELL formerly of Syrnix, (I think I spelled it right). I guess he will be playing synthesizer or something. In the coming weeks BIFF ROSE will also be at the Riverboat

Coming Up

Here are a few notes on upcoming talent in and around Toronto in the coming month. First for Scarborough College, tomorrow night there will be a dance for the end of Athletic Week. (incidently the rumour that everyone will have to wear their underwear outside their clothes during athletic week is incorrect.) At the dance there will be a band named Piledriver. In the band is a former SC student Brad McDonald, who plays keyboards. They should put on a pretty good show so why not pay $1.50 for the Argo basketball game and then come to the dance as well, or if you prefer just pay $1.00 and see Piledriver at the dance.

Now for entertainment in the real world. On January 20 at Massey Hall will be a man we all know and love, STOMPIN' TOM CONNERS. His show at Massey Hall last year was pretty wild and he will be doing a command performance for the Queen in P.E.I. this summer so if you like to see plywood get stomped go and see Tom. . . . The following week again at Massey Hall are IAN & SYLVIA and THE GREAT SPECKLED BIRD. They will be playing on Sunday, January 28th. . . . In February there is also some top talent coming to this city. . . On February 15th, the Thursday night of Reading Week, JOHN PRINE will be playing at Massey Hall. Tickets are quite cheap at $3, $4, and it should be a good show. . . Again at Massey Hall on February 2nd AMERICA will be in concert along with JOHN DAVID SOUTHER. . . . On February 20th at Maple Leaf Gardens local folks will get a chance to see the newly rearranged SANTANA. . . . On February 25th Eddie's long time heroes the BEE GEES will be at O'Keefe Centre. If you are interested in any of these concerts the box offices of the various establishments should be able to give you more information, if you call them.

In theatre news, there will be a production of TWO GENTLEMEN OF VARONA at the O'Keefe Centre from January 20th to February 10th, while at Hart House Theatre I just got a note about the production of HAMLET. It says there are two tickets there for me on January 25th so I presume it starts its run there at about that time.

final notes

Again as in SMUT I am pleased to present some final notes to you to end this edition of the paper.

First wacker would like to thank all his friends who made his birthday last Friday so much fun

Second Ollie wants me to say THIS IS YOUR LAST CHANCE! ! ! GRAD PICTURES WILL be taken on Monday January 22nd, Tuesday January 23rd and Wednesday January 24th. Make your appointment now in the Student Council Office, S-303F. The Pictures will be taken in Studio 3 of the television wing.(At the end of the Science Wing for those of you who don't know)

Third Library Hours have changed for all you studious folk. In the spring term they will be as follows:

Mon. - Thurs.	8:45 am	-	10:30 pm
Friday	8:45 am	-	5:00 pm
Saturday	10:00 am	-	5:00 pm
Sunday	1:00 pm	-	5:00 pm

Fourthly, if you think that I'm just trying to fill up space you might be right.

SPORTS PAGE

In mid-December of the year 1972, SCARBOROUGH COLLEGE stunned the world with the announcement that it had opened the new recreation wing to students. Under the inspiring leadership of Taimo Pallandi, his assistants Ann and MaryAnn worked extremely hard to iron out small(?) problems and get all new programmes running smoothly. Our new behind-the-counter man Mr. Denny and his wife have also helped a great deal in running our new centre.

Like everyone else who has viewed the new extension, I can not say anything but give praise to the fantastic work which has led to the creation of our own little country club.

I can't decide whether it was built to get us used to the feeling of being independently wealthy able to afford the time to enjoy the conveniences which our higher education will no doubt lead us to, or to tempt us to stay here a few years longer within the system and off the job market. It may even be some communist plot to lull us into an easy life of leisure unable to handle the problems of everyday life thereby leading us into internal destruction of our great nation.

Whatever the reason, I plan to take every advantage of it and I hope the rest of you do too.

Everything you can imagine is now available to us except a wet pool; however there are 4 squash courts which can be reserved for an hour, 3 days in advance, there's badminton, basketball volleyball, football table tennis,tennis, plus teaching studios for those who don't see enough of themselves in the mirrors at home.

Lessons are provided in everything from yoga to karate. The list is too long to reiterate here therefore you are all well advised to go to the new complex and check out the schedule for yourselves.

NOTE: extra tennis lessons will be available Thursday nights between 5:30pm and 7:00pm due to the large response.

January 15-19 has been dedicated to the purpose of spreading the knowledge to all students of these facilities and getting you off your big fat fannies to get a little involved in sports again.

Athletic week will hold tournaments and clinics with various demonstrations.

Of particular interest are the Friday night activities.

In the gymnasium at 8:00 pm the TORONTO ARGONAUTS have consented to be defeated by our well coached college team in the best basketball game this city has ever seen.

This is to be followed by a dance at 9:00 pm in the Meeting Place.

This promises to be one of the most refreshing times this College has ever experienced and I wish the Phys Ed office and the SCAA the best of luck.

By the way, as the coach of the non-existent women's volleyball team I feel this is the ideal place and my obligation to speak to the female population.

The first practice was held Wednesday January 10th from 5:00pm to 7:00pm, not an unreasonable time of the day. I'm sure you will all be happy to know that all of 5 girls showed up that night (but what did they look like? ed.) Not even enough to have one team let alone a practice.

Personally I was baffled and disgusted by the situation.We now have the best factilities possible available to us. It takes less than two minutes to walk from the old building to the gym, yet only 5 girls had the energy to do so.I don't understand what's wrong with you girls. Volleyball for example can not be considered therefore it cannot be demeaning to be caught playing it.

You don't have to expend a great deal of energy running after a ball therefore you don't get all sweaty. It is in fact a healthy, great recreational sport which is enjoyed by many. In general I would have to say that women's response has sadly been minimal.

I hope that after taking an honest look at yourselves you'll see that a game of badminton or squash would make you all feel a little better.

ATHLETIC NIGHT

Fri. Jan. 19th

7.00 pm

GYM

Soccer

Faculty vs. Students

8.00 pm Basketball

TORONTO ARGONAUTS

vs. Scar. College

Meeting Place PUB

DANCE 'PILEDRIVER'

$1.00 gym $1.00 dance

$1.50 for both

Tickets Room R-2261